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Ex parte DIETMAR PRZYTULLA

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ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on April 5, 2004. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matter requiring attention prior to docketing is identified below.

An Amendment, Amendment D, was filed on October 2, 2002 (Paper No. 17).

Thereafter, the examiner indicated in an Advisory Action entered on October 15, 2002 (Paper No. 20) that the Amendment would be entered. It appears, however, that the Amendment has not been physically entered into the record.

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Additionally, the Interview Summary entered on September 5, 2001 (Paper No. 11) is missing from the record.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the examiner for the physical entry of the Amendment filed on October 2, 2002, for obtaining a copy of the Interview Summary entered on September 5, 2001, and for such further action as may be appropriate.

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